Hallo dear MMMonVHF friends,

please find below our lastet NEWSLETTER from the VHF-DX-Portal
"Make More Miles on VHF" (www.MMMonVHF.de), dated 2011-12-29
We attempt to distribute our Newsletter, once a week (thursday)
from now on - if any special activities will make it necessary
we will inform you with Breaking News or a Special NL-Edition.
For further detail please be so kind and watch our "News"-page
http://www.mmmonvhf.de/latest.php - you vy welcome for any
input and we do hope you will enjoy the VHF-DX-Portal MMMonVHF!

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Latest NEWS and INFO for the NEWSLETTER
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** Editor change at the NEWSLETTER of Make More Miles **

After about more or less 10-15 years Guido, DL8EBW, who did spread
out the VHF News in more or less regular ways like to inform you
about a change of the TEAM and the Newsletter - now the time have
come that some fresh wind will come to the Newsletter! From begin
of the year 2012 Lins, PA3CMC will be taking over that part together
with Frank PA4EME - They will have much more time for the
hobby nower days than Guido and so please welcome their work. The
people who have read the NL will not find too much different
because both are excellent radio amateur and experiecend on
the VHF and UHF bands - they will have much more time for the
hobby nower days than Guido and so please welcome his work ...
Your NEWS and INFO are still very welcome and the way you spread
it will be not be changed: >>> www.mmmonvhf.de/contact.php
INPUT of VHF-ACTIVITIES: >>> www.mmmonvhf.de/newsuser.php
INPUT of UPDATES to NEWS: >>> www.mmmonvhf.de/newsuserup.php
Thanks in advance and have a good start into the new year 2012
SOURCE: Guido, DL8EBW, on behalf of the MMMonVHF Team

** METEORSCATTER in January 2012 **

Highlight of new year is as usual Quadrantids shower. Its maximum
is expected to occur on January 4th, 07h 20m UT, with ZHR = 120 hr-1
Quadrantids maximum is typically rather sharp, with ZHR varying in
the range 60-200 hr-1. Have a look to shower predictions for
January 2012 - (together with some tips about Quadrantids and an
overview of 2011 Geminids) at our MMM MS-Propagationpage:
www.MMMonVHF.de/ms.php . SOURCE: Massimo, IV3NDC MMMonVHF Team

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** HS0AC - Rig's submerged during century flood in HS **

The Radio Amateur Society of Thailand Under the Patronage of His
Majesty the King - HS1A - The clubstation of RAST ï¿½ HS0AC ï¿½ was
submerged by 2m of waters during the previous century flood ï¿½ which
was in the media worldwide - I believe ï¿½ some pictures of the club
station after the water tide was gone ï¿½ www.qsl.net/RAST or RAST

forum.com RAST and HS0AC lost equipment worth around 200,000 USD
(150.000 Euro) incl. our mainstation rig FT-1000 MK Mark V ï¿½ which
is believed will not be able to be repaired. RAST settle up an
account for donations to help the clubstation getting back on air
soon. Donations could be done directly to the club or via paypal
to donate@rast.or.th   There is also a EME activation ï¿½E2Eï¿½ planned
during April to help to raise some funds for HS0AC - have a look:
http://www.mmmonvhf.de/latest.php?id=4080 (Info from DL2LAH)
 ï¿½ further details soon ï¿½ GD DX ï¿½ hopefully from HS0AC soon...
SOURCE: 73 de HS0ZFZ - Swen ï¿½ HS0AC qsl manager direct to MMMonVHF

** MMMonVHF Trophy: "Best VHF DX Expedition" of the Year 2011 *

The MMMonVHF VHF-DX-Portal is happy to invite all VHF enthusiasts
and VHF-DX'ers to join the new survey to identify the "The Best
VHF DX Expedition of the Year 2011". The aim of the survey is to
thank the very hard efforts of those who organized and carried out
so many nice expeditions and trips all around the world on the VHF
bands in the past year 2011. Participation period: 01. January to
31 December - Voting period: 01. January 2012 - 21. January 2012 :
Persons or Groups who organized and carried out some kind of exped.
in the 144 MHz band segment via Meteor Scatter or Earth-Moon-Earth
propagation. Expeditions / Activities have had to be spread out on
the VHF-DX-Portal Make More Miles on VHF in the year 2011 and must
have found their way into the "REVIEW" section of MMMonVHF.
You will be able to vote by selecting a maximum of 5 expeditions
alltogether in TWO categories (MS and EME) by ticking the box in
front of the expeditions. The voting page will be available by
direct link at http://www.mmmonvhf.de/voting.php from up 1 st of
January 2012 until 21 st of January 2012. Results in February 2012.
SOURCE: Jani, HA5CRX, on behalf of the MMMonVHF Team

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      HOT 144 MHz MS & EME DX-PEDITION NEWS - Pse do use:
               http://www.mmmonvhf.de/latest.php
         and use the FILTER for your personal wishes!
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** DXCC: HV ; Square: JN61 ; Start: 2011-12-26 **
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HV0A (JN61FV) will be QRV in MS until Jan. 5th 2012
HVoA has been QRV for about 1.5 hrs on Dec 26th for testing.
Several stations were worked: DF2ZC, PA1GYS, SP3VSC, DL1YMK.
Stations heard during test: PA3FPQ, OK1TEH, ON7EH, PA4EME, DK5OX,
ES6RO, PA2CHR, PA0PVW. The stations heard during this test will
be "prefered" in the next days. Activity will be irregular so
keep a good eye on the band. LATEST NEWS by Sergio, IKoFTA dated
2011-12-28: IK0FTA Sergio announced on ON4KST-chat that HV0A will
be QRV time to time in the period Dec 27th 2011 untill Jan 5th 2012
from Vatican City. 1 Kw in 8 el Yagi. QSL-Info: All 2m qso's with
HV0A will be confirmed automatically - via LOTW - after mid January
2012 or so. Traditionals QSLs can be required ONLY DIRECT to the
manager: IK0FVC via CBA. NOTE: I don't have blank qsl cards of HV0A
so PSE don't send your request to me. 73 Sergio, ik0fta.
SOURCE: Sergio, IK0FTA, via PA4EME to MMMonVHF

** DXCC: FG ; Square: FK96 ; Start: 2011-12-28 **
USE or SUBSCRIBE: http://www.mmmonvhf.de/latest.php?id=4041

LATEST NEWS from Phil, F1DUZ, dated 2011-12-28: Arrived on site.
All seems fine. Assembling the setup - We will be ready soon - 73
MAIN NEWS: It will be an only 70cm activity, the first one in FG.
We will use JT65B but also CW, with the hope that some big guns will
I be able to copy us in this mode. The setup: FT897D LNA SP7000
Solid state amplifier 300w 2 x 17 elements DK7ZB More infos will
follow. SOURCE: tnx to Phil, F1DUZ, direct to MMMonVHF

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    Latest V/U/SHF DX-PEDITION NEWS and EVENTS - Pse do use:
               http://www.mmmonvhf.de/latest.php
         and use the FILTER for your personal wishes!
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** LATEST HK0NA News **

Four members from the Theam (HK1N,HK1T,HK6F AND HK1MW) has
departed from the Pier of the Navy Base BAHIA MALAGA aboard the
Patrol Boat JOSE MARIA PALAS on 26-12 2011. The target of this
advanced team called THE FANTASTIC FOUR is to set up all the 11
stations, the 2 camps and wireless network in order to have every-
thing ready when the main group arrive on Jan 21 2012. To this 4
Brave mans who are going to spend more than 40 days on the island
and have sacrfice the Holidays away from his families, we have to
express our admiration and gratitude ...
SOURCE: Mediterraneo Dx Club

** DEADLINE for your NEWS input to MMMonVHF**

... for your News (pse use: http://www.mmmonvhf.de/newsuser.php)
to the next MMMonVHF Newsletter will be next wednesday 2359 UTC ...

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      The VHF-DX-Portal MMMonVHF - Newsletter Credits & Info
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Our Newsletter is compiled from the input of the USER of the
VHF-DX-Portal MMMonVHF and as well by a lot of free usable
HF-V-U-SHF-Info-Sources (named as SOURCE at the NEWS) and chats
like ON4KST-, RU-VHF-DX-Net, EA-V-U-SHF-Chat, N0UK-Chat and others.

** Many thanks to all our USER who did send us info and news **

Wherever we found the info we always indicate the source of the
info. If you get knowledge of an expedition, which is NOT listed
at our VHF-DX-Portal MMMonVHF or if you have additional info for
an expedition, PLEASE be so kind and send us this info at:

** www.mmmonvhf.de/newsuser.php or www.mmmonvhf.de/contact.php **

The MMMonVHF-Team is always trying to spread any expedition info
as much up-to-date and reliable as possible and as long as the
info does not violate with our MMMonVHF-Policy ...

Have a lot of fun and enjoy the VHF-DX-Portal MMMonVHF!

73 de Guido "Guy" DL8EBW
on behalf of the MMMonVHF-Team

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